1	2	3	4
OSEB	17600.0	15277.0	0.0
ORISSA P	9590.0	10841.0	113.0
SIKKIM	319.0	124.0	38.9
WBSEB	14641.0	14490.0	99.0
WB.P.DEV.C	24040.0	24793.0	103.1
DPL	3265.0	2778.0	85.1
ASEB	5208.0	3700.0	71.0
MEGHALAYA	1851.0	2343.0	126.6
AR.PRADESH	62.0	53.0	85.5
TRIPURA	1424.0	1222.0	85.8
Total SEB:	994587.0	958570.0	96.4
Total Pvt.	144135.0	127681.0	88.6
TOTAL	1759427.0	1765797.0	100.4

Amguri Power Project in Assam

2805. SHRI DRUPAD BORGOHAIN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) what decisions have been taken as regards to Amguri Power Project of Assam;

(b) what decisions have been taken on supply of Natural Gas to this project; and

(c) by when the construction of the project will begin?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) The Assam State Electricity Board (ASEB) has invited proposals for setting up Amguri Combined Cycle Gas Turbine (CCGT) Project with installed capacity of 90-100 MW in Private Sector on the basis of "Build-Own-Operate".

(b) The Government of India has allocated natural gas to an extent of 0.50 million standard cubic meter per day on firm basis to ASEB for its gas based power project proposed to be set up at Amguri.

ASEB has been accordingly advised to execute necessary gas supply and transportation agreement with the concerned parties.

(c) The schedule of project construction/commissioning could only be firmed up after the bids are evaluated and order is placed on a particular company for execution of the project.

Power Scenario in the Country

2806. SHRI B.J. PANDA:
SHRI NANA DESHMUKH:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal to improve the present power scenario in the country;

(b) whether any strategy has been adopted therefor;

(c) if so, the year by which power is expected to be available adequately for domestic consumption, for agriculture and Industry;

(d) the fund required for the same;

(e) the resources arranged accordingly; and

(f) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) to (f) It has been estimated in the 16th Electric Power Survey by the Central Electricity Authority that to meet the power demand in the country by 2012, the energy requirement would be 975222 MU and the peak demand would be of the order of 157107 MW. To meet this demand, an additional capacity of approximately 1,00,000 MW needs to be set up by the end of 2012. A tentative list of projects having a total capacity of about 1,06,000 MW has been drawn up. The requirement of resources for adding an incremental capacity of 1,00,000 MW has been estimated at about Rs. 8,00,000 crore. This is inclusive of associated transmission and distribution facilities.

The funds required for Central Sector would be raised through internal resources including retained earnings, issue of bonds, etc.